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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE
(DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 C.F.R. 1.5)		
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	EARLIEST PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED
PCT/GB2005/000541	February 15, 2005	February 18, 2004
TITLE OF INVENTION		
COMPRESSION-COATED TABLETS AND MANUFACTURE THEREOF		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US		
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Applicants herewith submit to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- X 1. This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 37 U.S.C. 371.
- X 3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- X 4. The US has been elected (Article 31).
- X 5. A copy of the International Application as filed/published (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
- X a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
- X b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.
- c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).

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- X 7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
- _____ a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
- _____ b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.
- _____ c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
- X d. have not been made and will not be made.
- _____ 8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- _____ 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- _____ 10. An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

- _____ 11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98.
- _____ 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- X 13. A preliminary amendment. Please enter the Preliminary Amendment prior to calculation of the filing fee. The "Amendments to the Claims" section adds 7 additional pages to the application, bringing the total number of pages to 38.
- X 14. An Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. 1.76.
- _____ 15. A substitute specification.
- _____ 16. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
- _____ 17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13^{ter}.2 and 37 C.F.R. 1.821 – 1.825 is transmitted herewith in printed and computer-readable formats. The paper and computer-readable copies of the sequence listing are the same and do not contain new matter. Entry of the sequence listing into the application is requested. The paper copy comprises _____ additional pages.
- _____ 18. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- _____ 19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- X 20. Other items or information: Copies of the International Search Report and the Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority are attached.

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The following fees are submitted:.				CALCULATIONS	
21. <u> X </u> a) Basic national fee..... \$300				\$300.00	
22. <u> X </u> b) Examination fee If the written opinion prepared by ISA/US or the International preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4).....\$0.00 All other situations.....\$200.00				\$200	
23. <u> X </u> c) Search fee If the written opinion of the ISA/US or the international preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4).....\$0.00 Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority\$100.00 International Search Report prepared by an ISA other than the US and provided to the Office or previously communicated to the US by the IB\$400.00 All other situations.....\$500.00				\$400	
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$900	
_____ Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250.00 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.				--	
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- 100 =	/50=		x \$250	\$--	
Surcharge of \$130 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(h)).				\$--	
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE		
Total claims	27- 20 =	7	x \$50	\$350	
Independent claims	1- 3 =	0	x \$200	\$--	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+ \$360	\$--	
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$350	
_____ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.				\$	
SUBTOTAL =				\$1,250	
Processing fee of \$130 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).				\$	
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =				\$1,250	
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40 per property.				\$	
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =				\$1,250	

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- X c. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the **total National Fee of \$1,250** and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 03-1740**.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

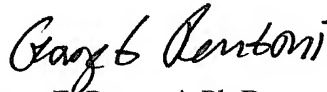
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